IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

IN RE: VACATION OF STANDING ORDERS

ORDER

It has come to the Court's attention that several standing orders that are no longer used continue to be published as representing the procedures for practice in the Court. Further, in accordance with the recommendation of the United States Judicial Conference, this Court has incorporated any procedural requirement that establishes or affects substantive rules of practice applicable to litigants into its Uniform Local Rules. That being the case, the following standing orders should be vacated and should no longer have any force or effect:

Standing Order: Procedures for Practice Before this Court, adopted September 17, 1998.

Order Adopting Procedural Directive for Code of Conduct for United States Judges Canon 3C (1) (c), adopted December 7, 1999.

In re: Standard Operating Procedure Governing Protection of Personal and Sensitive Information and Public Access to Court Files in Accordance with the *E-Government Act of 2002*, adopted May 20, 2003.

Joint Standing Order Implementing Temporary Amendments to Local Rules 7.1(D), 7.2(B) and 7.2(E), adopted November 26, 2003.

Order Addressing Procession of Cellular Telephones and Laptops in Federal Courthouses in the Northern District of Mississippi, adopted June 7, 2004.

Standing Order Governing Forms in Cases under 28 U.S.C. §§ 2254 & 2255, adopted December 15, 2004.

Standing Order Governing Mandatory Electronic Case Filing, adopted October 1, 2005.

Amended Standing Order Governing Filing and Sealing of Plea Agreements in Criminal Cases, adopted November 2, 2007.

Standing Order - Re: Electronic devices capable of transmitting images or messages in the courtroom, adopted July 23, 2009.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the standing orders listed above are vacated and, as of this date, have no force or effect. The Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this order to The Mississippi Bar and to West Publishing.

SO ORDERED, this the 5 day of June, 2012.

Michael P. Mills

Chief United States District Judge

Sharion Aycock

United States District Judge

Neal B. Biggers

United States District Judge

Glen H. Davidson

United States District Judge